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Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms:

Case Studies

**Which right has been violated in each case? Why?**

**Choose one of the following rights:**

Fundamental Freedoms

Democratic Rights

Mobility Rights

Equality Rights

Legal Rights

Official Languages of Canada

Minority Language Education Rights

1. Tim was sentenced to 20 years in prison without a trial.

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2. Fred was arrested for being a member of the Catholic Church.

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3. A group of teens meeting for a poetry reading are told that they have to leave the park.

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4. Joe was not given a promotion because his employer knew he was homosexual.

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5. Sally and most of her friends speak French, but the school board refuses to open a French school.

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6. May cannot find anyone to speak to her in French at the government help line.

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7. Karl is not allowed to vote in the provincial election because he lives on a farm.

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8. Phillip was whipped in prison by the guards because he laughed.

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9. Julie was not allowed in the store because of her skin colour.

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10. Lisa was arrested and taken to prison but she is not sure why.

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11. Peter was not allowed in the restaurant because they thought his wheelchair would be in the way.

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12. Ellen, a Canadian citizen, lived in China for 2 years and was not allowed back into the country when she tried to return.

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13. Jeff was arrested for having a bumper sticker on his car that said: "Use Common Sense and Vote out Paul Martin."

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